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FOR THE YEAR

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Enfield, N. H.

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Warrant for Annual Meeting.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

[L. S.] To the inhabitants of the town of New London, in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in town affairs:—

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town hall in said New London, on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation of the same.

3. To see if the town will vote to pay Charles S. Whitney eighty-three dollars [$83.], the amount of the town's money lost at the time his house burned last August.

4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for permanent improvement of highways, under direction and assistance of the State.

5. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the support of schools for the ensuing year.

6. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the support of highways, bridges and sidewalks for the ensuing year.

7. To see if the town will appropriate twenty-five dollars for the proper observance of Memorial day, and pay the same to the treasurer of Anthony Colby Post, G. A. R.

8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise above what the law requires, for the town Library.

9. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 25th day of February, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and five.

FRANK W. TODD
FRED B. GAY
HERMAN P. MESSER
} Selectmen of New London.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest.

FRANK W. TODD
FRED B. GAY
HERMAN P. MESSER
} Selectmen of New London.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

VALUATION OF THE TOWN, APRIL 1, 1904

DESCRIPTION	NUMBER	VALUE
Polls,	203	$ 20,300
Real Estate,		354,566
Horses,	291	20,219
Mules,	3	150
Oxen,	74	4,070
Cows,	503	13,282
Neat Stock,	228	4,238
Sheep,	258	688
Fowls,	63	40
Carriages,	61	3,455
Bank stock,		1,300
Surplus capital of banking institutions,		965
Money at interest,		20,515
Stock in trade,		13,350
Total valuation,		$457,138
Rate $16.50 on $1,000.		
Taxes assessed,		$7,543 98

TAXES

The town is taxed for the following purposes:

State tax,	$ 648 00
County tax,	1,427 10
Highways by vote of town,	2,285 69
Schools by law,	1,296 00
Anthony Colby Post,	25 00

Town Library by law,	64 80
Extra for Library,	100 00
Miscellaneous bills,	

The money was paid out as shown in the following report of the Treasurer.

FRANK W. TODD
FRED B. GAY
HERMAN P. MESSER
} Selectmen of New London.

BOUNTY ON HEDGEHOGS

The Selectmen have paid the bounty on 137 hedgehogs, $34 25, and have received the full amount from the State Treasurer.

TREASURER'S REPORT

The Treasurer charges the town of New London for the year ending Feb. 14, 1905, as follows:

NOTES ON INTEREST

Paid State Capital bank, note and interest,	$1,040 00
Mrs. John Jones, note and interest,	106 46
Charles F. Putney, note and interest,	1,020 50
First National Bank, Newport, N. H., note and interest,	513 33
First National Bank, Newport, N. H., note and interest,	521 00
Frank W. Todd, note and interest,	184 50
John W. Taylor, interest on note,	45 00
Sarah J. Elkins, " "	16 50
Mary S. Knowlton, " "	7 00
	$3,454 29

MISCELLANEOUS BILLS

Paid W. A. Abbott, printing town reports,	$ 34 10
J. F. Hayes, express on town reports,	55

Edgar F. Sargent, painting town hall,	40 72
N. P. Clough & Co., shingles for town hall,	51 00
Frank W. Todd, repairing roof town hall,	29 27
Walter H. Jones, cutting grass in cemetery,	12 50
John D. Quackinbos, trustee public library,	164 80
A. G. Sargent, supplies town hall,	29 70
A. M. Fernald, return births and deaths,	75
C. A. Lamson, return births and deaths,	2 42
A. M. Littlefield,	1 75
Frank M. Stanley, water tub,	3 00
W. S. Bickford, " "	3 00
Baxter Gay, " "	3 00
F. O. Prescott, " "	2 00
C. G. Davis, waymarks Sunapee lake,	2 00
Frank W. Todd, books, notices, etc.,	8 40
Frank W. Todd, trip to Concord,	3 50
H. S. Adams, record book,	3 25
" " " births, marriages and deaths,	5 10
Herman Messer, care of tramps,	5 00
Frank W. Todd, dinners for Selectmen,	7 25
Baxter Gay, printing and copying checklists,	6 25
Ira S. Littlefield, surveying,	4 00
R. F. Sargent, Anthony Colby Post, G. A. R.,	25 00
A. C. Philbrick, care of tramps,	5 00

W. P. Sargent, dinners road commissioners,	2 00	
W. P. Sargent, dinners election officers,	2 50	
Ai Worthen, damage to plow,	2 50	
George Thurston, postage and paper,	85	
George Thurston, trip to Concord,	3 00	
R. H. Keil, supplies, Board of Health,	5 00	
Chas. F. Putney, abatement tax,	83	
		$469 99

LAND DAMAGE NEW ROAD

Paid Ruth M. Jenkins,	$ 1 00	
E. R. B. Chapman,	1 00	
William C. Colby,	1 00	
Harrison B. Williams,	200 00	
Frank P. Messer,	100 00	
Nathaniel Messer,	200 00	
		$503 00

TOWN AID

Paid Baxter Gay, board of S. D. Messer,	$104 00	
F. P. Call, drawing wood for Mary Fletcher,	5 00	
Frank Roberts, labor on wood for Mary Fletcher,	5 80	
		$114 80

COUNTY AID BALANCE 1903

Paid Adams Bros., supplies Mrs. Geo. Messer,	$13 00	
Adams Bros., supplies Mrs. Geo. Fisher,	23 80	
C. H. Johnson, care Mrs. Geo. Fisher,	9 00	
R. H. Keil, supplies Mrs. Geo. Fisher,	45	
F. O. Dow, casket, box and robe for Mrs. Geo. Fisher,	22 00	
		$68 25

TO FEB. 1, 1905

Paid W. H. Law, board Henry Davis and wife,	$103 29	
E. E. Loverin, supplies Ferry children,	6 50	
Chas. Pingree, supplies Ferry children,	4 21	
Amy E. Dion, care of E. F. Austin,	4 00	
Mrs. John Prescott,	15 00	
Adams Bros., supplies Amos Hunt,	42 91	
" " " Irving J. Brown,	12 26	
Knight & Chase, wood for Irving J. Brown,	9 00	
		$265 42

DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND FAMILIES

Paid Milo Bucklin, board of Mrs. John Messer,		$19 00

MINISTERIAL MONEY

Paid E. A. Todd,	$29 36	
W. S. Carter,	9 37	
Sarah J. Elkins,	13 27	
		$52 00
Deposit Loan and Trust Savings bank,		$100 00

HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES AND SIDEWALKS

Paid Arthur J. Gould, breaking and cutting out roads, 1903-04,	$417 16	
Arthur J. Gould, repair of highways,	875 90	
Ai Worthen, breaking and cutting out roads, 1903-04,	137 55	
Mason W. Emery, breaking and cutting out roads, 1903-04,	102 75	
Mason W. Emery, breaking roads to Feb. 1, 1905,	17 95	
Warren S. Bickford, breaking roads to Feb. 1, 1905,	21 95	
Ai Worthen, breaking roads to Feb. 1, 1905,	86 16	
Ai Worthen, repair of highway,	812 55	
E. A. Todd, " "	678 44	
" " breaking road to Feb. 8, 1905,	191 06	
Ai Worthen, crossing stone,	20 00	
		$3,361 47

STATE AND COUNTY TAX

Paid County tax,	$1,427 10	
State tax,	648 00	
		$2,075 10

SCHOOL MONEY

Paid tuition High school scholars,	$850 00	
A. G. Sargent, School Treasurer,	1,519 80	
		$2,369 80

TOWN OFFICERS

Paid Frank W. Todd, Selectman,	$80 00	
Fred B. Gay, "	50 00	
Herman P. Messer, "	30 00	
George Thurston, Treasurer,	35 00	
H. S. Adams, Town Clerk,	20 00	
J. D. Pingree, School Board,	15 00	
Lennie J. Messer, " "	10 00	
Lora E. Loverin, " "	25 00	
Gustie F. Messer, " "	25 00	
C. A. Lamson, Board of Health,	12 50	
R. H. Keil, " "	11 00	
J. D. Pingree, " "	8 00	
A. G. Sargent, school treasurer,	10 00	
Baxter Gay, supervisor,	4 00	
Frank P. Messer, supervisor,	4 00	
Alfred G. Sargent, care town hall,	38 50	
H. M. Fales, care town clock,	10 00	
C. E. Shepard, driving hearse,	31 75	
F. P. Call, care of cemetery,	29 42	
Oren D. Crockett, auditor,	1 00	
		$450 17

ABATEMENTS 1903

Adams, Alonzo,	$1 65	
Allen, Sylvester	1 65	
Hunt, Amos	1 90	
		$5 20

ABATEMENTS 1904

Elkins, Sarah J., Mechanics hall,	$4 95	
Pierce, George	1 65	
Pingree, Walter	41	
Sanborn, W. C.,	1 65	
Smith, Sidney A.,	1 65	
		$10 31

SUMMARY

Cash in hands of treasurer Feb. 1904.	$1,048 81	
Rec'd on Crippen & Lawrence bond,	100 00	
State license commission,	232 26	
Railroad tax,	271 79	
Savings bank tax,	858 32	
Insurance tax,	11 25	
Literary fund,	99 00	
Interest on ministerial fund,	17 82	
Rent of town hall,	57 00	
Dog licenses,	114 96	
Bowling alley and pool table license,	16 15	
County bills,	340 68	
Cash borrowed on notes,	3,480 00	
Baxter Gay, col. bond 1904,	6,735 58	
" " " 1901,	6 68	
C. S. Whitney, col. bond 1903,	356 34	
N. W. Colby, guardian Mrs. John Messer,	10 86	
W. P. Sargent, wood from Geo. Fisher place,	9 37	
		$13,766 87

Paid notes and interest,	$3,454 29	
Miscellaneous bills,	469 99	
Land damage,	503 00	
Town aid,	114 80	
County aid,	265 42	
Dependent soldiers and families,	19 00	
Ministerial money,	52 00	
Deposit Loan and Trust Savings bank,	100 00	
Highways,	3,361 47	
State and County tax,	2,075 10	
Schools,	2,369 80	
Town officers,	450 17	
Cash in hand,	531 83	
		$13,766 87

LIABILITIES

There are the following outstanding notes against the town:

Sarah J. Elkins, Feb. 1902,	$ 500 00
Elkins fund, Dec. 1901,	500 00
Richard S. Morgan, Jan. 1904,	1,500 00
Mary S. Knowlton, Feb. 1904,	200 00
Sarah E. Boynton, Feb. 1903,	300 00
John W. Taylor, July 1904,	1,500 00
Frank W. Todd, Feb. 1903,	1,047 00
Ella J. Spooner, Sept. 1903,	400 00
Frank P. Sargent, " "	600 00
Newton L. Sargent, June 1904,	500 00
Fred and John Morgan, July 1904,	800 00
Interest to March 1, 1905,	289 43
Due Merrimac Co., wood from Geo. Fisher place,	7 50
Due school districts for supplies,	309 27
	$8,453 20

ASSETS

Cash in Treasurer's hands,	$531 83
Due on bond of 1901, Baxter Gay collector,	2 40
Due on bond of 1903, C. S. Whitney collector,	97 43
Due on bond of 1903, Baxter Gay collector,	67 17
Due on bond of 1904, Baxter Gay collector,	798 36
	$1,497 19

This is to certify that I have this day examined the accounts of Geo. Thurston, Treasurer of New London, and find them properly cast and correctly vouched.

RALPH H. KEIL, Auditor.

New London, N. H., Feb. 27, 1905.

The town holds a permanent ministerial fund of $1,323 33.

One hundred dollars ($100), known as the Mahala Gay cemetery fund; one hundred fourteen dollars ($114), known as Eliza Sawyer cemetery fund; one hundred dollars ($100), known as Lavonia Whitney Piper cemetery fund.

GEORGE THURSTON, Treasurer.

New London Public Library

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

For the year ending January 31, 1905.

Whole number of books in Library,		1,609
Additions during the year,		146
" by purchase,		103
" by gifts,		43
Number of magazines taken,		14
Whole number of books taken out,		2,536
Number of cards issued during the year,		28
Cash on hand at beginning of year,	$ 1 82	
Amount received for fees, fines, etc.,	11 58	
		$13 40

Amount paid for library supplies,	$3 60	
" " wood,	2 50	
" " express,	2 40	
" " cleaning library,	1 00	
Balance in hands of Librarian,		$3 90

EMMA BARTLETT, Librarian.

ROAD AGENTS' REPORT 1904

The highways of New London were equally divided by the Road Agents, according to their best judgement, into three sections.

SECTION NO. 1—ARTHUR GOULD

Rec'd of the town,		$875 90
Paid Warren Bickford for labor on highway,	$34 78	
A. B. Black, for labor on highway,	4 10	
Timothy Crowley,	30 89	
Campbell,	25 73	
Allen Crane,	14 00	
Will Chase,	33 52	
Mason Emery,	45 42	
A. J. Gould,	50 00	
C. W. Gay,	48 76	
O. C. Gardner, gravel,	10 00	
Walter Jones, labor on highway,	38 77	
Knight & Chase,	82 18	
Henry W. Kidder,	25 91	
E. E. Loverin, bill,	9 69	
Anzel Messer, labor on highway,	13 13	
Howard Philbrick,	26 25	
Melville Robbins,	5 78	
Shepard & Gould,	105 26	
Karl Sholes,	2 28	
R. F. Smith,	9 63	
F. G. Shepard, gravel,	10 00	
Ed. Whitcomb,	38 77	

M. Wheeler,	6 39
Ai Worthen,	2 00
Mason Emery, bill,	119 23
Thompson & Hoague,	64 60
Shepard & Gould, ctg. tile,	12 23
Rufus Lamson, labor,	5 50
Fred Morey,	1 10

SECTION NO. 2—AI WORTHEN

Rec'd of town,		$812 55
Paid Ai Worthen for labor on highway,	$312 23	
Ai Worthen for lumber,	18 00	
L. A. French for labor,	3 06	
F. J. Reinhardt,	2 25	
I. G. Brown,	24 50	
C. Sargent,	26 69	
A. J. Gould,	39 00	
Knight & Chase,	21 17	
R. W. Preston, for stone,	20 00	
Knight & Gordon, for labor,	12 25	
Henry Janelle,	36 00	
Timothy Crowley,	4 82	
Walter Jones,	1 75	
H. P. Messer,	5 00	
Frank Morriss,	34 00	
Henry Gregory,	35 85	
Sargent & Fulton, for tile,	45 15	
M. W. Emery, lumber,	117 12	
Fred Gay,	87	
Herman Messer,	1 75	
James F. Woods,	38 25	
H. A. Eastman, bridge plank,	6 19	
G. M. Knight,	4 05	
J. W. Taylor,	1 10	
J. F. Hayes,	1 50	

$50 00 of the money I received of the town I laid out on Arthur J. Gould Section.

AI WORTHEN

SECTION NO. 3—E. A. TODD

Rec'd of town,		$678 44
Paid E. A. Todd, for labor on highway,	$75 55	
E. A. Todd for bridge plank,	5 19	
Frank Roberts for labor,	121 20	
Mark Stearns,	2 50	
M. W. Stearns,	60 80	
Anzel Messer,	35 00	
A. O. Crane,	49 00	
Derby,	3 75	
Mrs. Fletcher,	6 12	
Chas. G. Davis,	6 85	
Edwin F. Messer,	37 27	
Frank L. Stearns,	14 18	
F. S. Morgan,	1 15	
Elmer F. Messer,	23 45	
Nathan Stearns,	8 75	
Alston Brown,	14 64	
Nathaniel Knowlton,	54 11	
F. A. Todd,	27 13	
I. J. Brown,	8 75	
A. W. Watkins,	21 00	
M. H. Robbins,	28 00	
Shepard & Gould,	2 00	
Austin Morgan,	15 87	
Sargent & Fulton, tile,	7 74	
M. W. Emery, bridge plank,	22 52	
Warren Bickford, labor,	7 00	
H. A. Eastman,	1 40	
George Goings,	3 00	
William French,	1 00	

F. O. Prescott,	2 62
F. W. Todd,	10 90

$38 14 of the money I received of the town I laid out on Arthur J. Gould section.

E. A. TODD.

Whole amount received from town,	$2,366 89
Whole amount expended on highways,	$2,366 89

AI WORTHEN } Road Agents
E. A. TODD } of New London.

BREAKING ROADS WINTER OF 1903-04

Rec'd of town,		$682 01
Paid Shepard & Gould, Ai Worthen, Mason Emery and others,	$657 06	
Karl Sholes and others for scraping sidewalks and cutting out pitchpoles,	24 95	
		$682 01

BREAKING ROADS WINTER OF 1904-05
TO FEBRUARY 1, 1905

Rec'd of the town,		$317 12
Paid E. A. Todd, Ai Worthen and others,	$317 12	

AI WORTHEN } Road Agents
E. A. TODD } of New London.

Report of

BOARD of EDUCATION

To the Citizens of New London:—

Your School Board submits the following report:

Four of our schools have been in session thirty weeks during the year. In the winter term the school at Pleasant street closed one week earlier on account of illness among the pupils. In the spring a school was opened at the West with Miss Julia Todd as teacher.

Miss Merta Underhill was hired for the fall and winter terms at Pleasant street, and Miss Nellie Shanahan, a normal graduate and experienced teacher, was obtained for the school at Elkins. The work of both of these teachers was satisfactory. In the rest of the schools the old teachers were retained throughout the year.

At the close of the spring term the Board asked President Horace McKean to be present at the examinations of the several schools, and eleven of the pupils were accepted by him to enter the Academy.

The writing books have been changed to the Medial slant, which is used in the Academy.

Nichol's arithmetics have taken the place of Milne's. We believe they tend to develop the reason and make pupils more independent.

The following repairs have been made, part of the work being begun last year: A chimney built and floor

laid at Elkins; the school room at Burpee Hill papered and painted, roof shingled at Pleasant street, a new step at Colby Hill, some plastering at Low Plain, and a new flag at the West.

The school enumerator, John K. Law, reports 89 school children, 47 boys and 42 girls.

In closing the Board wish to say, we have tried to do our best. Not as many visits have been made as we wished, but the reasons preventing were unavoidable.

At the close of the spring term Mrs. Lennie J. Messer resigned, and John D. Pingree was appointed to take her place.

We hope the town will think seriously and favorably of the article in the warrant about a superintendent of schools.

If two or three or more towns could unite, making a district to have a superintendent who could afford to put his whole time on the schools, we believe much better work could be done.

In most cases we and our teachers have received hearty support from the parents. To others we would like to say, it is rather perplexing to know just how to please everyone. Some parents refuse to send their pupils a few rods farther to a larger school without being paid more than the regular price, while others refuse to send theirs to a small school, thus making it impossible to keep this school open to suit the first party.

Respectfully,

MRS. LORA E. LOVERIN
JOHN D. PINGREE
MRS. GUSTIE T. MESSER

ROLL OF HONOR

FOR THE YEAR

Ausbon Sargent
Marion Knowlton
Lucian Worthen
Robert Farwell
Eva Dean
Lura Dean
Stephen Dean
William Hayes
Hattie Kinney

TWO TERMS

Leslie Colby
Ernest Quimby
Warren Sargent
Amy Quimby
Lena Sargent
Esther Cross
Edgar Knowlton
Abbie Worthen
Thirza Dean
Edith Pedrick
Walter Piper
Withey Tenney
Brainerd Whitcomb

ONE TERM

Roy Davis
Nellie Quimby
Annie Quimby
Dura Crockett
Harland Campbell
Marion Shepard
Bernice Knowlton
Beth Herrick
Myron Adams
Gertrude Emery
Willie Ray
George Pingree
Paul Gay
Frederick Smith
Lura Knowlton
Herbert Wheeler
Edwena Todd
Eva Ashley
Nellie Williams
Robert Loverin
Inez Lull

ABSENT ONLY ONE DAY

Harry Kinne
Louise Thurston
Ethel Remington
Howard Means
Ruth Shepard
Beatrice Nye
Rachel Austin
Alfred Koehne
Elsie Philbrick
Leon Todd
Emma Sholes

SCHOOL STATISTICS

DIVISIONS	1 Fall, 2 Winter 3 Spring	TEACHERS	Length of School in Weeks	Wages of Teacher per Month	Number of Pupils	Average Number of Pupils	Average Daily Attendance	Pupils in Arithmetic	Pupils in Grammar	Pupils in History	Pupils in Geography	Pupils in Physiology	Visits by School Board	Visits by Citizens
Colby Hill	1	Etta M. Dwyer	11	$32	26	24	21	26	12	5	12	3	3	15
	2	" "	8	32	22	20	16	22	11	7	12	9	2	20
	3	" "	11	32	29	29	26	29	12	7	12		5	42
Elkins	1	Katherine Grover	11	32	21	21	20	21	15	15	15	14	3	39
	2	Elsie M. Crosby	6 3-6	32	18	18	16	19	19	12	12	12		7
	3	Eliza Rabette	12	32	25	25	24	22	18	13	13	13	3	45
Burpee Hill	1	Emma I. Stanley	10	30	17	17	14	15	12	3	9	8	2	
	2	" "	9	30	14	14	12	14	10	3	12	3	2	7
	3	" "	11	30	20	20	18	14	14	3	14	7	2	18
Low Plain	1	Alice Sargent	11	30	22	22	18	22	9	9	20	5	1	9
	2	" "	8	30	16	16	14	16	13	8	14		1	13
	3	" "	11	28	17	17	16	16	9	9	9	5	3	28
Pleasant St.	1	Florence Sargent	11	22	5	5	5	4	4		4	3	1	7
	2	" "	8	22	5	5	5	4	4		4	3		3
	3	" "	11	22	5	5	5	5	4	2	4		2	11
West	1	Martha Wells	11	24	6	6	5	4	4	4	2		1	10
	2	" "	8	24	7	7	4	5	5	5	4			1
	3	Julia Todd	11	24	7	7	5	5	9	5	8	8	3	13

School Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS 1904 and 1905.

Received from Town Treasurer and others

Amount required by law,	$1,296 00	
Dog licenses, 1903,	124 80	
Literary fund,	99 00	
Mrs. H. P. Messer,	35	
Mrs. Lora E. Loverin,	1 00	
From Treasurer, 1903 and 1904,	242 90	
		$1,764 05

EXPENDITURES 1904 and 1905.

Paid Teachers

SUMMER TERM

Etta Dwyer, 11 weeks,	$88 00	
Emma Stanley, 11 weeks,	82 50	
Eliza M. Rabbette, 12 weeks,	96 00	
Julia E. Todd, 11 "	66 00	
Flossie Sargent, 11 "	60 50	
Alice Sargent, 11 "	77 00	
Mrs. F. K. French, music,	25 00	
Eliza M. Rabbette, traveling expenses,	4 75	
		$499 75

FALL TERM

Etta Dwyer, 11 weeks,	$88 00
Emma Stanley, 10 weeks,	75 00
Merta Underhill, 10 "	60 00

Nellie Shanahan, 12 weeks,	96 00	
Alice Sargent, 10 "	75 00	
Mrs. F. K. French, music,	25 00	
		$419 00

WINTER TERM

Etta Dwyer, 8 weeks,	$64 00	
Merta Underhill, 9 weeks,	54 00	
Emma Stanley, 10 "	75 00	
Alice Sargent, 10 "	75 00	
Nellie Shanahan, 9 "	72 00	
Mrs. F. K. French, music,	25 00	
		$365 00

WOOD, LABOR, ETC.

B. M. Stanley, 2 1-2 cords wood,	$10 00
J. F. Hayes, 2 " "	7 50
A. N. and H. E. Todd, 9 1-2 cords wood,	38 00
E. A. Todd, 1 cord wood,	5 00
Byron Tenney,	2 00
Fred B. Gay,	2 20
	$64 70

FOR REPAIRS

John D. Pingree,	$41 75
John Walker,	8 03
R. L. Davis, brick,	11 90
C. L. Williams, work,	4 20
Mitt Lull, work,	3 50
John D. Pingree,	8 56

John Walker,	19 77	
Knight & Chase,	48	
Adams Bros.,	1 45	
Charles Morrill, lime,	1 30	
George Thurston,	25	
Shepard & Gould,	1 39	
S. M. Allen,	3 00	
		$105 58

JANITORS

Willie Hayes, 3 terms,	$5 40	
Etta Dwyer,	5 55	
Fred Morey,	5 10	
Edith Williams,	1 50	
Annie Tenney,	3 00	
Eva Philbrick,	1 00	
Nellie Williams,	1 50	
James Shepard,	1 65	
Osborn Sargent, 3 terms,	8 30	
Roy Davis,	1 50	
Nellie Shanahan,	6 75	
		$41 25

CLEANING SCHOOL HOUSES

Lizzie Williams;	$3 50	
Mary Brown,	2 40	
Mary Chase,	3 00	
Mrs. Byron Tenney,	3 00	
Mrs. E. E. Fletcher,	3 50	
Mrs. Arthur Chase,	3 00	
Mrs. Byron Tenney,	3 00	
Fred H. Morey,	2 00	
		$23 40

PUPILS SUPPLY ACCOUNT

Edward E. Babb & Co.,	$32 49	

Ginn & Co., 2 bills,	34 40	
Evarts Messer, 3 atlases,	17 25	
Educational Pub. Co.,	2 40	
Gault & Spaulding,	6 00	
Thompson, Brown & Co.,	27 93	
R. E. Lane,	2 83	
Lennie J. Philbrick, express,	3 65	
Lennie J. Messer, atlas,	4 00	
E. E. Loverin, 2 bills,	6 82	
Mrs. Lora E. Loverin, 2 bills,	12 68	
Knight & Chase, 2 bills,	1 95	
A. G. Sargent, P. O. orders and stamps,	1 84	
		$154 24

SUMMARY

Total receipts,	$1,764 05	
Paid teachers summer term,	499 75	
" fall term,	419 00	
" winter term,	365 00	
Wood, labor, etc.,	64 70	
For repairs,	105 58	
Janitors,	41 25	
Cleaning school houses,	23 40	
Pupils supplies,	154 24	
		$1,672 92
Balance in hands of Treasurer, Feb. 28, 1905,		$91 13
		$1,764 05

ALFRED G. SARGENT, School Treasurer.

This certifies that I have this day examined the foregoing accounts of the School Treasurer, and find them correctly cast and well vouched.

NATHANIEL W. COLBY, Auditor.

New London, N. H., February 28, 1905.

DEATHS

Registered in the Town of New London, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1904.

Date 1904	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age Years	Age Months	Age Days	Place of Birth	Sex	Color	Single, Marr'd or Widowed	Occupation	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan 8	New London	Nath. C. Knowlton	83	10	2	Sutton	M	White	M	Farmer	New London	New London	Nath. W. Knowlton	Ruth Herrick
" 10	"	Robert P. Buzzell	56	5	22	New London	M		S	Hame maker	Andover	"	Joseph F. Buzzell	Ella Pierce
Feb. 1	"	Sarah E. Whittier	61	5	8	"	F		M		New London	"	Curtis Messer	Clarissy J. Wood
" 18	"	Lydia Fisher					F		W					
Mar. 2	"	John M. Dow	85		14	New London	M		W	Farmer	Warren	Salem, Mass.	Evans Dow	Lydia Morgan
" 2	"	Beth Hale Adams		1	24	"	F				New London	Penacook	Herman S. Adams	Flora M Everett
" 21	"	Jonathan S. George	85	6	1	Springfield	M		M	Farmer		Springfield	Currier George	Elizabeth Sanborn
" 25	"	Josie Bucklin	27	3	24	"	F		M		Grafton	"	John H. Prescott	Mary E. Russell
" 25	"	David Baldwin	78	4	12	Hancock	M		M	Farmer			Jeremiah Baldwin	Esther Maynard
" 26	"	Benjamin C. Davis	81		26	New London	M		W	"	Dunbarton	New London	Edmund Davis	Nancy Messer
" 29	"	Nancy J Quimby	65		5	Springfield	F		W		Springfield	Springfield	Jeph hah Russell	Mary E Putney
Apr. 6	"	Mary F. Morey	69	1	28	Sharon, Vt.	F		M				Larkin Lovejoy	Tryphanie Barrett
" 15	"	Sarah M. Gay				New London	F		W		Methuen, Mass.		Isaac Messer	Martha Stevens
May 5	Antrim	Warren W. Daggett	70	11	23		M		M					
" 24	New London	Solon Cooper	68	8	15	Sutton	M		M	Shoemaker	Arlington, Vt.	Wells, Vt.	David Cooper	Sarah Goodspeed
Dec. 6	"	Seth Littlefield	83	8	28	Grantham	M		M	Farmer	Easton, Mass.	Bradford	Seth Littlefield	Sarah Crane

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. S. ADAMS, Town Clerk.

BIRTHS

Registered in the Town of New London, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1904.

Date	Name of Child (if any)	Sex	Living or Still born	No. of Child	Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color of Par.	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Father's Age	Mother's Age
Jan. 7	Beth Hale	Female	Living	2	White	Herman S. Adams	Flora M. Everett	White	New London	Insurance Agt	New London	Penacook	33	26
" 8		"		1		Clarence T. Campbell	Ella B. Whitcher			Laborer	Hudson	Nashua	21	20
" 30		"		5		Albert J. Davis	Cora May Brown			Carpenter	Northfield	Danbury	34	33
Mar. 1		"		4		John D. Pingree	Mary E. Waterman			Farmer	New London	Enosburg, Vt.	45	41
Apr. 15		Male		2		Robert M. Knight	Minnie M. Dockham			Merchant	"	Salem, Mass.	31	31
" 29		"		4		Chas. E. Shepard	Maud J. Hersey			Liveryman	"	Tilton	39	35
" 29		"		5		Chas. E. Shepard	Maud J. Hersey			"	"	"	39	35
May 12	John Walter	"		3		John W. H. Law	Miriam J. Davis			Mail carrier	Deerfield	Warner	41	45
" 21	Dorothy	Female		3		Fred B. Gay	Agnes Drown			Farmer	New London	Saranac, N. Y.	28	32
Aug. 11		Male		1		Winfield S. Call	Sadie A. Brayley			Carpenter	Webster	Danbury	22	17
Sept. 20	Victor Joseph	"		7		Edwin A. Dean	Janet McCallum			Painter	Deerfield	Kincardine, Ont.	47	37
Oct. 22		"		2		Herman P. Messer	Lennie J. Philbrick			Farmer	New London	Springfield	35	31
Dec. 19	Helen Todd	Female		1		Elmer F. Messer	Gustie May Todd			"	"	New London	30	26

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H. S. ADAMS, Town Clerk.

MARRIAGES

Registered in the Town of New London, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1904.

Date 1904	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at time of Marriage	Birthplace of Each	Age in years	Color	No. of Mar.	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation of Parents	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by whom Married
Jan. 17	Wilmot	Fred Austin Morey	New London	Sutton	22		1	Teamster	Horace C. Morey Sarah C. Morey	Sutton "	Farmer	Rev. T. S. Lewis
		Alice Mabel Baker	"	New London	19		1		Byron Baker Laura Wheeler	Bradford, Vt. Bradford	Carpenter	Wilmot
July 6	Whitman, Ms.	Ira Seth Littlefield	"	"	30		1	Civil Engineer	Seth Littlefield Sarah Clement Bragg	Grantham Croydon	Farmer	Rev. Ed. C. Camp
		Eliza Ann Harding	Whitman, Ms.	Whitman, Ms.	33		1		Henry Harding Sarah Reed		Shoemaker	Whitman, Mass.
July 28	New London	Arthur M. Blackstone	Boston, Mass.	Boston, Mass.	23	White	1	Bookkeeper	Tracy R. Blackstone Mary L. Clark	Woodsford Me Brooklyn, N Y	Dentist	Nathaniel W. Colby
		Jessie Gertrude Dill	"	"	19		1		Jesse A. Dill Alice Heath	Wellfleet	Caterer	J. of P. New London
Aug. 6	Wilmot	Charles H. Messer	New London	New London	24		1	Farmer	James Messer Ida Hunt	New London		Fred E. Goodhue
		Mina E. Palmer	Sutton	Sutton	24		2		Benjamin S. Fisk Lavina B. Sleeper	Wilmot	Farmer	J. of P. Wilmot
Sept. 5	New London	Arthur Murrey	Champlain NY	Champlain NY	22		1	Laborer	Alex Murrey Mary Gilmon	Champlain NY	Farmer	Rev. George Bullen
		Tildy Haden	Sweden	Sweden	21		1		John Haden	Sweden	Farmer	New London

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H. S. ADAMS, Town Clerk.

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Fire Insurance

AND PIANOS

New London, N. H.

Do you know what companies you are insured in?

In case of fire your policies are equivalent to a check on a bank. Better look your policies over and satisfy yourself that you have the strongest companies obtainable.

Your property represents money, and your mercantile credit is based on what you own. In ten minutes fire will wipe out the savings of years. Then look to your fire insurance policies.

Had you not better make sure NOW that you have a strong company?